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TITLE: HYDROPHOBIC LIGHT STABLE
POLYURETHANE ELASTOMER
WITH IMPROVED MECHANICAL
PROPERTIES

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) ART UNIT: 1711

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action ("Office Action"), rejecting Claims 1-11 for application Serial No. 09/474,114 ("the Application"), Applicants respectfully request the Patent Office to consider the following amendments and remarks. A separate Petition for Extension of Time is being filed simultaneously herewith such that this Response will be considered timely filed.

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